

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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Marketing  
Service

DATE: Aug. 28, 2003

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: TURKEY TACO FILLING; PURCHASES NEARING  
END

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased up to 5,421,000 pounds of frozen cooked turkey taco filling for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

<b>Product</b>	<b>Awarded Prices* Inv. No. 1</b>	<b>No. of Bids Accepted</b>
taco filling	\$0.3943-\$0.4513	1 of 4

\* Base price will be added when the Notice to Deliver is issued. Award price includes cost for processing and transportation.

It was also announced that the purchase program for turkey taco filling is nearing complete.

Next offers under Announcement PY-274 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

<b>Inv. Number</b>	<b>Product Type</b>	<b>Offer Date</b>	<b>Acceptance Not Later Than Date</b>
2	taco filling	Sept. 8	Sept. 12

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for turkey taco filling under Announcement PY-274, Invitation 1, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT: PY274  
INVITATION : 001  
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 13 TURKEY TACO FILLING  
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: COOPER FARMS PROCESSING  
PLANT ADDRESS : COLUMBUS

ITEM NO	DESTINATION	MINIMUM QUANTITY	MAXIMUM QUANTITY	PRICE PER* (LBS)
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001	MASSACHUSETTS	312,000	468,000	\$0.4193
002	VERMONT	0	117,000	\$0.4163
003	VIRGINIA	0	156,000	\$0.4023
004	NEW JERSEY	117,000	273,000	\$0.4123
005	FLORIDA	429,000	585,000	\$0.4293
006	GEORGIA	78,000	234,000	\$0.4073
007	ALABAMA	39,000	195,000	\$0.4053
008	NORTH CAROLINA	195,000	351,000	\$0.3963
010	MICHIGAN	156,000	312,000	\$0.3963
011	ILLINOIS	117,000	273,000	\$0.3943
012	LOUISIANA	234,000	390,000	\$0.4233
013	OKLAHOMA	39,000	195,000	\$0.4143
014	UTAH	0	156,000	\$0.4383
015	TEXAS	468,000	624,000	\$0.4283
016	IOWA	195,000	351,000	\$0.4059
018	CALIFORNIA	273,000	429,000	\$0.4473
019	ARIZONA	156,000	312,000	\$0.4513

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